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## 1919 YULETIDE GIVES MISSOURI A GRAND CHANCE

THEY CAN HELP THOSE BORN IN  
SAME LAND AS SAVIOR,  
WHOM THEY FOLLOW.

WILSON AND TAFT FAVOR

President and Former United States  
President Speak for Near  
East Sufferers.

Missourians, who have ever responded when patriotism demanded, and who have harkened and have given freely when their gifts were actually needed and would bring relief to the stricken, will have an opportunity during the approaching Yuletide season to participate in another outpouring that should appeal to every Christian within the borders of the State.

Something less than a year ago charitable Missourians loosed their purse strings and contributed their share to the \$30,000,000 fund that was raised throughout the United States that the slaughter and the starvation of Christians in the lands ruled by the Turkish Sultan should cease.

No state responded more heartily or more spontaneously than Missouri. Missouri dollars went to New York, where the officials of Near East Relief, then called the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief, assembled the resources of the nation and dispatched shipload after shipload of supplies and provisions that the lives of millions of stricken people might be saved. Not only this, but hospitals were established and thousands of Armenians who had been driven from their homes by the barbaric Turks were re-established and were placed on a self-supporting basis.

When that campaign was conducted last February it was thought the work of mercy would have been completed. The war had been fought and won, thanks to Americans. The power of the German Emperor and the Turkish Sultan had been broken. All that remained was to bring about the universal peace, and it was everywhere expected that America would accept the mandate that would give this country the power to see that the atrocities of the past, committed by Turks of the Mohammedan faith, could never be repeated and that a peaceful people could re-establish themselves and hold up their heads among the nations of the world.

America, however, has seen fit to delay the signing of the peace treaty and the government, as such, can take no national hand in alleviating the sufferings of a people who have been tortured for centuries for no other reason than that they saw fit to follow in the footsteps of Him whose birth will be celebrated throughout the world December 25.

But because Congress failed to act, the people of this land will not see the peoples of that land across the sea—the Holy Land—the land where Christ was born and where His miracles were performed, suffer and die because they are doing as did His followers in the early days—clinging to the doctrines He taught.

President Wilson, while making the tour of the country in September, in an address at Kansas City, in this state, called attention to the sufferings of the Armenians. Secretary of the Navy Daniels, in an address at New York a few days ago, told how the Navy Department was working hand in glove with the Near East Relief, the name of the organization that has taken up the work formerly done by the same organization that conducted the campaign so successfully last February.

Secretary of War Baker and Herbert Hoover, who personally inspected the conditions in Armenia, have added their pleas to the public telling of the vast needs of these Christian people.

Abram Elkus, who was Ambassador to Turkey from the United States when diplomatic relations were severed with the Sultan's government, in an address a day or two ago, said that conditions as described by former Ambassador Morgenthau had never been exaggerated and that the terrible Turk was completing individually the work that was begun countless centuries ago—exterminating Armenians because they refused to accept Mohammed as the True God.

Former President William Howard Taft, who has given freely of his money and his time in the past to aiding this stricken people, is working for the success of the plan adopted in behalf of the Armenians and is urging in addresses and in public prints that Americans open their hearts and pocket-books that a Christian race shall not be totally destroyed.

The first plan for relief will be an offering to be made at Christmas time by Missourians. Mr. J. A. McMillan has been named State Secretary for Near East Relief for Missouri, and he has established headquarters in Room 1423 Chemical building, St. Louis.

Two hundred thousand letters will be sent out shortly to as many individual Missourians, urging that they make such contributions as they deem they are able to afford. Pledge cards and data showing to whom remittances shall be made will accompany these letters.

Mr. McMillan says that the plans for the regular campaign that is to be waged in behalf of the Armenians have

## HOW ARMENIANS ARE HELD BACK BY FATE

European Powers Selfishly Clamor For  
Territory and Wealth Rightfully  
Belonging to Armenians.

While the Peace Conference is quibbling over the partition of Asiatic Turkey, secret treaties entered into between Great Britain, France and Russia before the collapse of that nation, are coming to light and are retarding the giving of the justice to the Armenians that appeared to be almost in the grasp of the Christian peoples who have been harassed by the Turks for ages.

A London correspondent of the Christian Science Monitor, in a recent number, tells of the wheels within wheels that are revolving to prevent the Armenians from taking their place among the nations that their qualifications merit.

As long as 1916, says the Monitor's correspondent, it was agreed in secret treaties that Russia should have a large strip of land in Turkey, mostly occupied by the Armenians, and France should have another large strip on the Mediterranean coast. With the revolution in Russia removing that country from further consideration, that territory still claimed by France is still a bone of contention, and the French claims are becoming louder each day.

Then the powers are seeking to re-establish themselves as national entities. The whole world knows how the Turks, even before the outbreak of the World War, despoiled the thrifty Armenians. Then when the war came on, how they even surpassed the previous efforts and more than a million Armenians were slaughtered under the merest pretext. Women and children were carried off and made slaves.

The very land owned by the Armenians were taken by the Turks when the owners were banished and all of their property and money was confiscated. Now the powers are seeking to saddle the enormous Turkish national debt on the people who were despoiled, even of their all, and who would now be starving were it not for the aid that has been and is still being given them by America.

The hearts of Missourians should be softened this approaching Christmas season when a nation-wide Christmas gift is being assembled to bestow on the suffering Armenians to help them in living through the present winter. This free-will Christmas offering, in which every Missourian is asked to participate, is preliminary to a nationwide move that will be launched some time in February to give the necessary aid that will restore these Christian peoples to the rang among nations that is their heritage.

## AMBASSADOR ELKUS TALKS OF ARMENIA

American Who Knows of Turkish  
Atrocities From First Hand  
Gives Testimony.

Hon. Abram I. Elkus, who was Ambassador to Turkey when diplomatic relations between that country and this were broken off, is as well qualified as any man to tell of the brutal and cruel manner in which the Turks treated the Armenians, who had been slaughtered by thousands even before the World War gave them the opportunity to continue their atrocities with renewed fanatical zeal.

Mr. Elkus, in a recent address in New York, when attending a meeting of the Near East Relief Committee, went into detail and told of some of the sufferings heaped upon a nation as old as Christianity. His recital is quite in line with the reports made by former Ambassador Morgenthau, who is clearly identified with the move to extend immediate relief to the stricken Armenians.

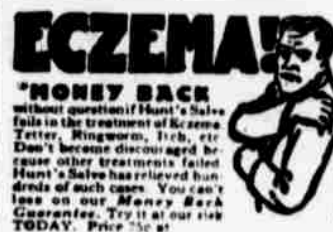
"Here we don't know what starvation really is," said Ambassador Elkus in the course of his address. "In Armenia, because of the persecutions of the Mohammedan Turks, millions of men, women and children have actually starved to death. The sufferings I have seen and know of through my own investigations would make so harrowing a tale that it would pull at the heart-strings of all Americans, and cause them to open their purse-strings with free hands."

Then he related how the children over there were dying by hundreds and thousands and how they looked to this country for help.

Missourians will respond to the letters recently sent out by the Near East Relief, urging gifts this Christmas season that will save many of the children, who will perish else this help is given. W. W. Smith, vice president of the First National Bank of St. Louis, has been named Treasurer for the fund for Missouri. He may be addressed at Room 1423 Chemical building, where Missouri Headquarters have been established, and where J. A. McMillan, Secretary for Missouri, is in active charge.

not been formulated fully, but when such plans are perfected the amount contributed by Missourians during the Christmas season will count as a part of the Missouri quota.

The reason for the Christmas offering is that the funds may be available at once and used before it is too late. Many will perish if they are compelled to wait for relief until next spring.



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